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Sir:

Reconsideration of the above identified application is respectfully requested.

In the Claims

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Please amend the claims as follows:

Please cancel claims 19-26.

73. (Once amended) An electrode assembly for an electrochemical cell, comprising:
- (a) an anode assembly comprising an elongated strip of alkali metal forming an anode and an anode current collector having at least a first connector tab disposed on a first edge thereof, the strip of elongated alkali metal having a first length and a first height, the anode current collector having a second length and a second height;
 - (b) a cathode assembly, comprising:

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